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**OFFICIAL**AMENDMENT  
Application No. 10/014,981**PATENT**

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Leonard Goldstein

Application No.: 10/014,981

Group Art Unit: 1772

Filed: December 11, 2001

Examiner: THOMAS, ALEXANDER S

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR FORMING A LAP SEAL USING A FOLDED  
ROLL OF FILM

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To whom it may concern:

Responsive to the Office Action dated September 16, 2003, claims 1, 9 and 15 have been amended, claim 12 has been cancelled, and claims 19-21 remain as non-elected claims with traverse. Thus, claims 1-11, and claims 13-18 remain in the current Application. Please amend the application as follows: